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LIGHT-HOUSE NEAR MOUTH OF SALEM CREEK, NEW
JERSEY.

MAY 24, 1898.—Committed to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union and ordered to be printed.

Mr. WANGER, from the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, submitted the following

REPORT.

[To accompany H. R. 8882.]

The Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, having duly considered the bill (H. R. 8882) for the reestablishment and reconstruction of a light-house at or near the mouth of Salem Creek, New Jersey, respectfully report the same to the House with the recommendation that it pass, and in support of this action refer to the accompanying letter of the Secretary of the Treasury setting forth the facts in detail:

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,
Washington, D. C., March 11, 1898.

SIR: I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of a letter from your committee, dated March 9, 1898, inclosing House bill No. 8882, providing for the establishment and reconstruction of a light-house at or near the mouth of Salem Creek, New Jersey, and asking suggestions touching the merits of the bill and the propriety of its passage.

In reply, I beg leave to state that the matter was referred to the Light-House Board, which reports that the light-house at Salem Creek, New Jersey, was destroyed by ice during the present winter, and it therefore recommends the passage of the bill in question providing for the reestablishment and reconstruction of the light at this point.

Respectfully, yours,

L. J. GAGE, *Secretary.*

CHAIRMAN COMMITTEE ON INTERSTATE AND FOREIGN COMMERCE,
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